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## JUDGE JAMES BREATHITT IS SPEAKING IN MARSHALL COUNTY THIS AFTERNOON

### ACTORS STRANDED AT MAYFIELD ARE IN SORE STRAITS

Members of Santell Vaudeville Company, After Brief Season, Say They are Deserted by Manager, With Salaries Several Weeks in Arrears.

COME TO PADUCAH TODAY.

Early, theatrical companies this season seem to be afflicted with shortness of funds, as the managers of two of the three companies, which have shown here in the past few days have left the members of their companies stranded. Yesterday's news dispatches told of the flight from West Point, Mississippi, and subsequent arrest at Cairo, of Manager Frank, of the Toyland company, while today several members of the Great Santell vaudeville company came here from Mayfield, where they had been deserted. They say Santell left them without the formality of a farewell, incidentally failing to pay their salaries which were several weeks in arrears. The theatrical people who were left at Mayfield say that Santell had no legitimate reason for his action in deserting the company as they had been playing to good business and making money. The engagement at Mayfield was for a "two night stand" and a good crowd was out at the first performance. In Paducah the company played three nights with fair business.

Santell is believed to have gone to Memphis from Mayfield, although his baggage was checked to Chicago, and the members of the company, who were in Paducah today, will go to Chicago and get attachments for the baggage if they can beat Santell there.

The company was organized at Evansville and the majority of the performers are Evansville people. The names of those who came to Paducah this morning were: Harold Ulrich, Paul Maxwell, Charles Cameron, Harry Toledo, Miss Cecil May, and Paul, Charles and Harry Lenniger.

**Alleged Bootleggers Arrested.**  
Aaron Tillet and John Bulger were arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy U. S. Marshal Wade Brown on charge of selling intoxicating liquor at the fair grounds August 8 without a government license. They sold pale ale and other like beverages alleged to be non-intoxicating. They gave bond for appearance Monday before Commissioner W. A. Gardner.

**Love Feast of Red Men.**  
Otego tribe of Red Men will meet Friday evening and hold a love feast during which L. L. Behout, Paducah's delegate to the national convention of Red Men at Jamestown, will report.

### CLUB SEEKS SECRETARY

With many expressions of regret the resignation of D. W. Coons, secretary of the Commercial club, was accepted by the directors of the organization last night. Once before he resigned but reconsidered when importuned. A committee, with Mr. Sol Dreyfuss, as chairman, will present suitable resolutions, expressing the sentiment of Mr. Coons' co-workers. The club is advertising for a secretary, the selection to be made next Wednesday.

### ALL CHARGED WITH GAMING

Buck Mount, Jeff Elrod, Charles Slaughter, Aaron Tillet and Sam Vickers, were arrested today and released on bond for their appearance in police court to answer to the charge of gaming. They are alleged to have gambled in a warehouse, and one of the number is said to have dropped \$400.

### BROOKPORT HOUSE BURNS

Brookport, Ill., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—A defective flue, caused the destruction by fire this morning at 2 o'clock, of the two story frame house of D. W. Russell in the eastern part of town. The house was situated next to the railroad track and was valued at \$1,500.

Benton, Ky., Sept. 19. (Special.)—Farmers from all sections of Marshall county, augmented into an imposing crowd by many Benton citizens of all political parties, were attracted to the court house this afternoon, where Judge James Breathitt, of Hopkinsville, Republican candidate for attorney general, is delivering one of the telling speeches of the campaign.

Judge Breathitt, who is one of the most forceful, as well as logical and eloquent speakers in the state, has many friends in this county, and his reputation as an orator brought out a crowd that surprised the local politicians, considering the condition of crops, which compel strict attention to business on the part of the farmers.

### FARMERS ENJOY BIG INSTITUTE

The McCracken County Farmers' Institute, at Maxon Mills, is creating general interest among farmers, and is largely attended. It began yesterday and will end this afternoon late.

Dr. F. L. Kimbrough, of Maxon Mills, was elected president and D. W. Coons, of Paducah, secretary. Yesterday afternoon speeches were made by Mr. John Allen, of Guthrie, Ky., on dark tobacco and its culture, and Secretary Coons, of the Commercial club, talked on the immigration and good roads convention. Three speakers from Zanesville, Ohio, are on the program. Mr. Strode spoke on apple culture, Mr. Spender on alfalfa and Mr. McIntire on breeding cattle.

This afternoon Mr. Coons is again in attendance and will deliver a second talk in the interest of good roads and immigration convention.

**Builders Organize.**  
Preliminary steps towards reorganization of the Paducah builders' association, were taken last night at a meeting of thirty-five contractors and sub-contractors at 118, South Fourth street. A committee was appointed to revise by-laws and rules and regulations, to make them conform with rules and by-laws of similar associations in other cities. Copies of by-laws from other associations are in the hands of the committee.

### OKLAHOMA IS DEMOCRATIC

Oklahoma City, Sept. 19.—Incomplete returns from Oklahoma's first state election point to a victory for the Democratic party, with an overwhelming vote in favor of the constitution and a safe majority for Prohibition.

Chairman Thompson, of the Democratic campaign committee, claims the election of Charles N. Haskell, of Muskogee, formerly of Ohio, for governor, by a majority of between 39,000 and 40,000.

Prohibition will carry by 40,000. Four of the five congressmen elected are Democrats, former Delegate Bird S. McGuire being the only Republican nominee for congress to be elected.

### Body Shipped.

The body of Walter White, of Florence, Ala., who died in Riverside hospital Saturday of heart trouble, was shipped home this morning. A telegram authorizing shipment of the corpse was received last night from the young man's mother. The body had been held by Guy Nance & Son. A mistake in the town was first made, it being stated he lived in Florence, S. C.

### Standard Discloses Tactics.

New York, Sept. 19.—John G. Milburn served notice on the government in the closing hour of today's session of the Standard Oil investigation, that the trust will object to the introduction of any testimony bearing upon acts committed prior to July 2, 1890, the date that the Sherman anti-trust law went into effect.

Coming in from all directions the farmers did not attract much attention this morning, but when they began to move toward the court house soon after dinner, it was seen that Judge Breathitt's words would be carried by his hearers to all parts of the county, and by the time the meeting convened between 1 and 2 o'clock, the court room was filled. Republicans here are greatly encouraged over the reception to Judge Breathitt.

He was introduced by Postmaster Ford in an excellent speech, setting forth the Republican claims on the support of all good citizens.

Capt. Ed Farley, of Paducah, Republican candidate for state treasurer, went on to Murray, where he will be joined by Judge Breathitt tomorrow.

## Twenty Boxes Sold For Horse Show.

Twenty choice boxes, each with a six seat capacity, were sold at public auction last evening at the Palmer House, leaving 40 more to be sold at private sale. Bidding was spirited, and a large crowd attended the sale. Following are those who bought boxes:

Joseph Friedman, first choice, \$20; J. W. Keller, second choice, \$20; Captain Harrison Watts, third choice, \$17; R. B. Phillips, fourth choice, \$18; Dr. I. B. Howell, fifth choice, \$16; Dow Wilcox, Ben Wellie, David M. Flournoy, I. D. Wilcox, Fred

Wade, J. H. Rudy, E. G. Boone, R. B. Phillips, Louis Riecke, Jr., Dr. Will Owen, W. M. Riecke, Saunders, A. Fowler, Frank Davis, A. S. Thompson and Horace Shinn.

The diagram showing the boxes remaining to be sold has been placed at Will J. Gilbert's drug store and will be sold at private sales. A great many were sold today, and those wishing one will do well to order it at once. The six seat boxes will be sold at \$15 and the four seat boxes at \$10, which is reasonable, as it figures only 62 1-2 cents a seat for each performance.

### TWENTY WINNERS FOR HORSE SHOW

Twenty prize winners from the Halley stable in Murray, Ky., will be entered in Paducah horse show events, swelling the list of entries to more than 200 horses. Where all horses will be placed is bothering promoters of the combined horse show and fall races, and an appeal to residents for the use of private stables has been set out again.

E. H. Halley, of Murray, who last year and the year before took several of the big prizes in horse show events, intends to "make 'em sit up and take notice" this year. He has been "laying" for the horse show and will have twenty star entries for the judges to puzzle over. He telephoned this information last night.

Entries are coming in fast, now that the horse show and races are near at hand, and both Mr. Fendol Burnett and George Goodman, who have charge of booking, are head over heels in work, answering letters by the score, and detailing information desired from many states.

### POPULAR YOUNG FOLKS UNITED AT LONE OAK

Mr. John M. Clark, of this city, and Miss Minnie Foster, of near Massac, were married at Lone Oak last evening at 7:30 o'clock by Rev. T. B. Rouse. Mr. Clark is a brother of Mr. U. H. Clark, chief clerk to Master Mechanic R. E. Fulmer, of the Illinois Central, and is a young man well known and popular in a wide circle of friends. Miss Foster is the daughter of a prominent McCracken county farmer, a well known and generally liked. They will reside in Paducah. Mr. Clark is employed in the Illinois Central machine shops and has been a resident of Paducah for several years.

### Little Girl Saves Her Life.

Thrown from her mount, little Ruth Perkins, 12 years old, retained presence of mind enough to kick herself away from the horse she had been riding, and escaped probably fatal injuries last evening at dusk at Bridge and Clements street in Mechanicsburg. Miss Perkins is a daughter of Mrs. Albert Perkins, a widow, residing in Farley Place. She did not escape entirely. Her right arm was stepped on and crushed. Dr. Carl M. Sears dressed the injury.

### Firemen Rewarded.

For their good work in fighting the fire which gutted the top story of the J. N. White building, occupied by the Scott-Hardware company and L. W. Henneberger & company firms, members of the city fire department received a check for \$150 from Captain White, of Nashville, to be distributed equally among them.

### Two Moonshiners Disagree.

Mayking, Ky., Sept. 19.—In a dispute over the possession of a moonshine still on top of the Cumberland mountains, Will Allen shot and fatally wounded John Watson, his partner.

## GRAND JURORS ARE COMPLIMENTED FOR RAPIDITY OF WORK

After reporting 54 indictments at 10:30 o'clock this morning and reporting the jail in excellent condition, the grand jury was finally discharged by Circuit Judge W. M. Reed, highly complimented by the court for the dispatch and vast amount of business transacted in the short time it was in session. It accomplished more than any other grand jury for many years, returning during its 14 days work 112 indictments and 14 minutes of the examining court marked "dismissed."

Out of the 54 indictments returned this morning, only a few are given out for publication. They follow: Minutes of the examining court marked "dismissed" were returned as follows: Abe Thompson, assisting a girl under 16 to enter a house of prostitution; E. O. Thomas, two charges, for forgery and obtaining money by false pretenses; Boyd Manuel, breach of peace; T. N. Letcher, converting \$175 of Lula White's money to his own use; Frank Hayes, converting \$152 of May Averitt's money to his own use.

Indictments—Murray Howle, willful neglect of official duty; Jimmie Taylor, malicious shooting with intent to kill; Ed King, Robert Buckner, breaking into East Clark's grocery; Jonas Smith, maliciously shooting W. W. (Pete) Gibson at Wallace park; Toni Vincent, grand larceny, stealing \$28 from W. H. Jones.

Judge Reed will sentence several prisoners tomorrow morning. In regard to the Hugh Boyle cases, he stated he does not know when he will feel like hearing argument. He will not adjourn court before Saturday.

## POLICE CHARGED WITH ROBBERY IN ONE INDICTMENT

Indictments charging robbery were returned this morning by the grand jury against Patrolmen Will Orr and Jack Sanders. Orr is now lying in bed ill of stomach trouble, while Sanders is working at his trade of ship carpenter. Complaining witnesses against them are negroes who charge they took from Will Brown \$3.50 and from John Harris 40 cents. The prosecuting witnesses say several months ago they were coming from Union Station when at Eleventh and Caldwell streets, they were stopped by two men, one of them wearing a policeman's uniform and a star and armed with a club, while the other carried a gun.

At the police station a report was made, but they failed to identify Patrolmen Orr and Sanders, then of the depot beat on which the robbery occurred.

**Other Indictments.**  
Many Paducah firms were indicted for failing to have the word "incorporated" on their signs. The firms are: Farmers' and Mechanics' Savings bank, Cochran Shoe company, Paducah Burial association, Globe Bank and Trust company, Illinois Central railroad, Prudential Insurance company, Powell-Rogers company, Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis, Paducah Home Telephone company, Engert & Bryant, Rhodes-Burford company, Dreyfuss, Well & company, Biederman Distilling company, Harbour Pitts Shoe company, Harbour's Department Store, First National bank, American-German National bank, New City Steam Laundry, the Eye See Jewelry company, American Express company, Lack Singletree company, Western Union and Adams Express company.

### THE WEATHER.



### FAIR.

Generally fair tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature. Highest temperature yesterday, 95; lowest today, 70.

## FORMER TURNKEY HOWLE INDICTED BY GRAND JURY.

### Charged With Neglect of Duty

In Taking Prisoner Down Street, Where Latter Got Into Shooting Scrape, Using Officers Own Pistol.

"Willful neglect of official duty" is the charge preferred against Murray (Bud) Howle, formerly turnkey at the county jail, in an indictment returned by the grand jury this morning. It is one of 54 indictments. With it came the indictment of Jimmie Taylor for malicious shooting, both indictments growing out of the same occurrence. Howle is not before the court, but resides in the county and can be brought before the court at any time. Saturday night, September 14, Jimmie Taylor, a prisoner in the county jail, desired to purchase trousers. He asked Turnkey Howle to take him down town. Howle, without asking permission from Jailer James Eaker, according to Jailer Eaker's statement, took Taylor out and about 12:30 o'clock on Sunday morning, while leaving a colored restaurant at Eighth and Washington streets, where the two had gone for lunch, Taylor got into a difficulty with Boyd Manuel, colored, resulting in Manuel's being shot in the left arm. Taylor carried a wound in his thigh, claiming that Manuel shot him. The grand jury returned a "not true bill" against Manuel.

Taylor, it is said, secured his pistol from Turnkey Howle's hip pocket.

For taking Taylor out without authority of Jailer Eaker, Howle is charged with willful neglect of official duty. For shooting Manuel, and being the provoker, Taylor is charged with malicious shooting with intent to kill. The penalty in Howle's case is a fine of from \$100 to \$500.

L. L. Jones, by remarkable coincidence, who is foreman of the grand jury which returned the Howle indictment, was Jailer James Eaker's predecessor, and was himself fined \$100 for permitting Willis Mount, a prisoner charged with murder, to handle keys to the jail.

## Post Office Forced to Go Into Open Market For Stamps.

Uncle Sam went on the open market yesterday for the product of his own workshops. The postoffice in Paducah yesterday ran out of one cent stamps and the clerks went to the expediency of buying up stamps in drug stores, book stores and other places where they usually are on sale, to sell again through the stamp window. This was small relief, however, and in another hour every inquiry for one cent stamps was met with the statement that there were none for sale. Explaining the scarcity of the stamps, the clerks said that they had put in their order at the usual time, September 1, but up until a week ago had not received any answer from Washington. Then they telegraphed an inquiry about them but have no information as to when they will receive a consignment.

### LIKED GOOD SHEPHERD HOME AND WILL RETURN

Unsatisfied with a free and unrestrained life in Paducah, her hometown, after a taste of life in the Home of the Good Shepherd in Louisville, Nora Ladd, 16 years old, applied at police headquarters today and asked to be sent back to the Louisville institution.

Nora and Belle Ladd or Cox, as they are also known, were sent to the Louisville institution four years ago, remaining until a few weeks ago. They returned, but Nora Ladd did not think well of the move. She was admitted through the efforts of Chief of Police James Collins, who will see that she is reinstated.

### "YOM HAKIPPURIM."

Day of Atonement Among Members of Jewish Faith.

Yom Hakippurim or "Yom Kippur" as it is known in its abbreviated form, the day of days in the Jewish religion in which all worldly affairs are laid aside and atonement for sins is made by fasting and repentance in the house of the Lord, was observed by members of the Jewish faith all over the world yesterday.

### SNEAK THIEF ROBS I. C. FIREMAN OF HIS GOOD CLOTHES.

Robert Robertson, a well known Illinois Central "highball" passenger train fireman, of 1201 Jefferson street, was forced to go to his home this morning in his overalls, having been the victim of a sneak thief at Memphis last night. Robertson was firing the "highball" passenger engine arriving here from Memphis at 1:25 o'clock. He left his suit case in the engine cab. It contained his clothes and \$48 in cash. He got down from the engine to assist in oiling and preparing for the run. On returning to his cab a short time after, Robertson found that his suit case was gone. A hasty search of the yards failed to discover the thief.

## MR. POWDERLY WILL COME TO PADUCAH TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Secretary D. W. Coons, of the Commercial club, has received the following encouraging communication concerning the immigration convention from Commissioner General F. M. Sargeant:

"Referring to your letter of the 2nd inst., I am happy to inform you that I have had a conference with Mr. Powderly, chief of the division of information, and he informs me that it will be a pleasure for him to attend the convention to be held in your city on the 26th and 27th of this month, and to give the association such information as lies within his power as to the work of the bureau, and particularly that of his own division, which is concerned with the distribution of arriving immigrants to the various sections of the country where they are most desired. I trust that the convention will be a most successful one, and that many important problems will be satisfactorily discussed."

## Post Office Forced to Go Into Open Market For Stamps.

The post card craze is responsible for the scarcity and it is believed that the heavy demand from all over the country is straining the capacity of the government printing office. Much inconvenience was caused to individuals by the scarcity of the one cent stamps, and large consumers are also suffering. The stamp clerk said he had no comprehensive idea of the enormity of sales in one cent stamps until yesterday when he was compelled to turn down orders for them. All retail stores were ransacked to supply the demand of persons disappointed at the postoffice.

This morning the situation was relieved by the opportune arrival of one-cent stamps in sufficient quantity to meet all demands and the post card sending can go on without a break. For a time, though, yesterday, it was a trifle tense.

### MR. JUDD CELEBRATES AN IMPORTANT EVENT

Illinois Central boilermakers were treated to a fine lunch last night after their regular meeting. Mr. Percy Judd being the host. Judd until August 28 was a boilermaker helper. His time expired on that date, and he became a full-fledged boilermaker, but before he could receive the scale, had to be regularly installed into the union. This was done at last night's meeting, and Craig surprised the members by inviting them to Murray & Wathen's cafe for lunch. The affair proved a most enjoyable one.

### WOODES 4 DAYS; REJECTED; DIES

Impetuous But Unsuccessful Courtship Leads Man to Suicide.

Webster City, Iowa, Sept. 19.—Because Miss Martha Quindahl refused to marry him after a courtship of four days Ross Hendricks, a former well known Webster City theatrical and circus man, took 50 grains of strychnine at Estherville this morning and, rushing into the street, fell dead. Hendricks had been a boon companion of Carl Pressley, another well known local theatrical man, who shot himself in the city park here two weeks ago after burning a roll of bills amounting to \$2,500.

## MANY PEOPLE SEEK MISSING HALE MALONE

Local Collector For Collier's Subject of Warrant For False Pretenses.

### NO REPORT FOR LAST WEEK

Borrows Money and Hires Horse Which he Abandons Near Station.

### IS QUITE A LADIES' MAN

False pretenses and possibly other serious charges resulting from working the confidence game on C. L. Dickerson, a Jefferson street liverman, are some of the charges that Hale Malone, of Louisville, a collector for the Peter Collier Publishing company will have to answer, if he is caught, and Paducah detectives believe that they have Malone located.

Malone is good looking and is a smooth talker. During his stay in Paducah he used a rig belonging to Mr. Dickerson to ride around and collect money for the publishing company. Mr. E. W. Trail, one of the managers of Collier's Louisville agency, who arrived in Paducah this morning, says Malone has not made a report of the amount of his collections for over a week and is known to be over \$200 behind.

Yesterday evening Malone failed to show up at the stable with the rig and Mr. Dickerson made a search for him and about 10 o'clock last night discovered his horse tied to a tree near the Union station, where it was learned that the animal had been standing all day without food or water.

In addition to the livery bill of \$13 which Malone owes Dickerson, he "conned" the liverman out of \$25 which he "borrowed" until he could draw his week's salary.

In addition to his peculiar accomplishments, Malone is said to be quite a favorite with the ladies, and besides his acquaintance with a number of Paducah girls, which he made during his stay here, he had several lady friends in Louisville, whom he often called up over long distance telephone.

Malone is believed to have gone from here to Cairo to meet a woman, and a description was sent to the Cairo police with instructions to arrest and hold him if found.

### ANOTHER UNION IS FORMED IN PADUCAH

Coremakers and moulders in Paducah will be organized into a union, preliminary steps towards organization being taken today. This morning Mr. W. C. Saxton, secretary of the Boilermakers' union, laid off at the Illinois Central shops to confer with moulders and core makers at the Illinois Central shops, Jackson's foundry and the Shelton foundry. There are about 15 moulders and core makers in Paducah, and they receive a little less than the union scale, it is stated.

### UNION GLASS BLOWERS LEAVE FINLEY PLANT

The Finley glass plant in Mechanicsburg, Paducah's newest industry, is idle today, glass blowers having been called out this morning shortly after the whistle was sounded. President J. A. Voll, of the Glass Blowers' Union of the United States and Canada, issued the call, and not a glass blower remained at his post.

### CENTRAL LABOR UNION WILL MEET TONIGHT

The Central Labor Union will meet tonight in regular session to act on several important matters. The matter of setting a date for crowning the goddess of labor, Miss Helene Hannin. A report will be heard from the Glass Blowers' union relative to the walk out this morning, and a committee from the Farmers' unions is expected to wait on the body relative to establishing a farmers' exchange here. There will be much routine business to transact.